

ABSOLUTE RATING: Unsatisfactory
IMPROVEMENT RATING: Below Average

Number of high schools with students similar to ours: 12. The absolute ratings for those schools ranged from unsatisfactory to average. For the improvement ratings, the range was from unsatisfactory to excellent.

(Definitions of School Rating Terms on Page 4)

RATINGS OVER A 4-YEAR PERIOD

	Absolute Rating	Improvement Rating
2001	Unsatisfactory	Below Average
2002		
2003		
2004		

TENTH GRADE PASSAGE OF ONE OR MORE SUBTESTS OF THE EXIT EXAM

	Our School			Schools With Students Like Ours		
	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001
• Passed all 3 subtests	38.7	37.6	26.8	38.6	44.8	50.7
• Passed 2 subtests	20.4	22.8	35.4	26.5	22.7	23.8
• Passed 1 subtest	24.7	20.8	19.5	18.8	20.0	14.7
• Passed no subtests	16.1	18.8	18.3	16.1	12.5	10.8

ELIGIBILITY FOR LIFE SCHOLARSHIPS	Our School	Schools With Students Like Ours
% of seniors eligible for LIFE Scholarships at four-year institutions	1.4%	3.8%
% of seniors who met the SAT requirement	1.4%	4.3%
% of seniors who met the grade point average	52.8%	31.3%

Beginning in 2003, the graduation rate for each high school will be included in the school rating.

PERFORMANCE BY STUDENT GROUPS

Seniors			
Student Group	Exit Exam Passage Rate by Spring 2001	Eligibility for LIFE Scholarships	Graduation Rate
All students	85.5%	1.4%	N/A until 2003
Students with disabilities other than speech	50.0%	N/A	
Students without disabilities	85.9%	1.4%	
Gender			
Male	65.0%	0.0%	
Female	92.5%	1.9%	
Ethnic Group			
African American	83.8%	1.4%	
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	
White	100.0%	0.0%	
Other	N/A	N/A	
Lunch Status			
Free/reduced-price lunch	83.9%	1.4%	
Pay for lunch	88.2%	N/A	

STUDENTS IN CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY COURSES

Mastering core competencies	61.8%
Completers placed	100.0%
Eligible students enrolled	90.4%

SCHOOL PROFILE

INDICATORS OF SCHOOL PERFORMANCE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
SCHOOL				
• Dollars spent per student	\$7,034	N/A	\$6,595	\$5,668
• Prime instructional time	82.5%	Down from 82.7%	88.2%	90.1%
• Student-teacher ratio	30.0 to 1	N/A	20.6 to 1	25.1 to 1
STUDENTS (n=467)				
• Advanced Placement/ Int'l Baccalaureate Program Exam Success Ratio	0.0%	N/A	0.0%	40.0%
• Attendance rate	89.6%	Up from 88.8%	95.4%	95.3%
• Retention rate	16.1%	Up from 9.7%	16.1%	10.0%
TEACHERS (n=33)				
• Professional Development days per teacher	9.5 Days	Up from 7.1	7.8 Days	7.5 Days
• Attendance rate	95.0%	No change	95.2%	95.7%
• Teachers with advanced degrees	33.3%	Down from 37.5%	39.5%	49.4%
• Continuing contract teachers	69.7%	Down from 81.3%	74.5%	81.0%
• Teachers with out-of-field permits	6.1%	Up from 3.1%	6.0%	3.0%
• Teachers returning from the previous school year	81.1%	Down from 84.8%	80.3%	85.2%
• Average teacher salary	\$36,005	Up 7.7%	\$35,748	\$38,125

SCHOOL FACTS

	Our School	Change From Last Year	Schools with Students like ours	Median High School
SCHOOL				
• Dropout rate	8.4%	Up from 1.8%	2.9%	2.9%
• Percentage of expenditures spent on teacher salaries	57.0%	N/A	57.0%	56.4%
• Principal's years at the school	1.0	N/A	2.0	3.0
• Percent of parents attending conferences	66.5%	N/A	51.6%	60.1%
• Opportunities in the arts	Good	N/A	Good	Excellent
STUDENTS				
• Older than usual for grade	23.6%	Up from 22.9%	18.3%	10.1%
• Suspended or expelled	58	N/A	23	29
• Gifted and talented	0.9%	Up from 0.7%	2.4%	7.4%
• With disabilities other than speech	11.7%	Up from 11.6%	12.8%	10.7%
• Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	7.3%	N/A	6.9%	4.5%
• Enrollment in career and technology center courses	422	N/A	337	350
• Career students participating in work-based experiences	5.4%	N/A	11.7%	23.1%



PRINCIPAL'S / SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL REPORT

I am thrilled to have the privilege of serving as principal of Baptist Hill High School. I am really looking forward to the very challenging task of working in collaboration with the staff, students, parents and community to improve the academic and social development of our students.

At Baptist Hill High School we have accomplished much, but there is still a need for improvements in the following areas: standardized test scores, attendance, and parental, business and community involvement.

The administration and staff will continue to implement new programs, update technology, and monitor the progress of plans made for the physical plant renovations.

Our teachers and staff will continue to utilize staff development opportunities to stay abreast of current educational practices.

Walter J. Seabrooks, Principal

EVALUATIONS BY TEACHERS AND STUDENTS

Percent	Teachers	Students	Parents
Satisfied with learning environment	51.9	58.1	(Avail. 2002)
Satisfied with social and physical environment	51.9	65.6	
Satisfied with home-school relations	46.2	73.3	

DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

Excellent – School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Good – School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Average – School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Below Average – School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Unsatisfactory – School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

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Grades 9-12 High School

Enrollment: 467 Students

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Annual School
Report Card

2001

School Grade:
Unsatisfactory

South Carolina Performance Goal:

By 2010, South Carolina's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the five fastest improving systems in the country.

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